

FIND VERMONTERS READY TO ORGANIZE

**Officials of National Holstein-Friesian Association Meet
Breeder of Black and White
Cattle and Show Value of
United Effort**

A meeting of much importance to the breeders of Holstein cattle was held Monday at Morrill Hall. The meeting was in charge of officials of the National Holstein-Friesian Association of America, sent here for the purpose of organizing the breeders of the black and white cattle in New England. It is planned to organize the breeders of New England into one unit, just as some of the largest States of the Middle West have organized their breeders because the New England States are much too small to have strong separate organizations.

President D. D. Aiken of the association, Secretary L. Houghton of Portland, Me., and P. C. Pollock of the Extension Service who have the work of organization in charge, together with Dean Hill of the Agricultural College, and Thomas Bradley, director of the Extension Service, were among the speakers.

An attempt was made to show the farmers the value of keeping only pure-bred cattle. A scrub cow of the black and white type yields only about 100 pounds of milk per year. The first cross with a pure-bred cow will give about 6,000 pounds and the registered pure bred will average ten to twelve thousand pounds. The latter cow, while costing a little more in the beginning, will cost no more to keep and the extra milk will be just so much more velvet in the farmer's pocket. This is the lesson that must be impressed upon the farmer. When people realize that it is just as cheap to maintain a machine that will manufacture over 100 pounds of milk as the poor machine, pure-bred cattle will be kept exclusively. The lesson is that better machinery will mean more milk to be disposed of at better rates.

Mr. Houghton, secretary of the association, who has made large each year of over one million register transfers, spoke briefly of the wonderful growth of the organization in the last few years and encouraged the farmers to better methods of organization to keep up with the popularity and demand for the pure-bred cattle.

President Aiken told of the results of organization in Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Ohio and Illinois. He urged particularly the improvement of the present milking machine, the use of improved and community centers, stating that it is better for a community to have one good pure-bred bull than for each farmer to have a scrub. He compared the dairy possibilities of Vermont and the Middle West. He showed that the pure-bred bull in Vermont must depend upon the dairy even now over 75 per cent of the gross receipts of the farms come from the dairies. He stated that the farmer is the only individual who can derive benefit in showing the benefits to be derived from the use of milk, he told his audience that malnutrition was the cause of 65 per cent of the deaths among children in this country. Boston at the present time is using only three-fourths of a pound of milk a day, which is about two pounds per person should be used for the proper care of health.

Mr. Pollock, the next speaker, told of the benefits to be derived from the present organization. He spoke of the work accomplished in the past year, which is generally recognized as one of the foremost producing and shipping associations in the country. The Twin Cities Association alone produced and shipped four million dollars worth of milk products during the last year. Under management and coming from 300 farms. Pointing out that one would hardly give the management of an inheritance of four million dollars to 300 managers, the speaker asked the assembled farmers what they should do to get their milk much milk. The association keeps three men constantly working to help the farmer in the proper selection and breeding of their stock and the selling of the surplus stock. This is one of the big results to be obtained.

Vermont should be particularly active in this work. Eighty per cent of the milk used in Boston and New York is from the Holstein cattle, of which there are about 100,000 in the United States and one-third of these are in Vermont. These men, who are sent out by the National Association, came to Vermont expecting to find opposition, as they were told that Vermont farmers could not be organized. They found, however, that the Vermont farmer was very much interested in the proposition, and report encouraging meetings in all of the communities that they have visited.

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General Hawkins, who was born in Pomfret, September 14, 1831, had been retired from active business for many years. He was one of the few survivors of both the Mexican and Civil Wars. After the close of the Civil War he was prominent in New York politics for many years, and was a member of the Union League club, which investigated Tammany Hall. During the latter part of his life he had been chiefly interested in the collection of rare paintings and books, and was well known as an authority on the early history of painting and making of wood cuts.

HERD IS HOME

Appletree Point Guernseys Bring Many Prizes After 5,000 Mile Trip

After having been away for over two months and traveled over 5,000 miles, the Appletree Point herd of Guernsey cattle returned to their home at Appletree Point, N. H., on Wednesday morning. The herd is one of the greatest shows of the United States. The herd was easily the premier winner in the East everywhere shown, and was again at the front in Iowa and Chicago, where the national dairy show was staged. There were 41 different herds represented at this one fair, with competition in each class of the keenest sort. A bull, bred and developed at Appletree Point Farms, finished his show career there, winning first prize. He had been beaten in the show ring and caused no little interest among the thousands of Guernsey enthusiasts that have seen him this year. A four-month-old heifer calf, Appletree Point's Dolly Dimple, won junior championship at the New England fair and junior and grand champion female at the Connecticut State fair, besides winning first place at the Eastern States Exposition. The "Get of Sire" (four animals by one bull) of the herd, Penecey's Secret Mare, won first place at the Eastern States Exposition in the keenest kind of competition. Inasmuch as they were all calves under six months old and beat other "Gets" that were shown as mature cows in milk, one may realize that this first prize "Get" was no ordinary one. Four other calves and one yearling cow won prizes were won during the show; much of the credit for their unusual success is due to the untiring work and care of Walter Jones and William Grey, who went with them. Considering the time they were away and the crowded condition under which they were shown, it is remarkable to think that no sickness or accidents were experienced.

FUR PRICES LOWER

Hunting and Trapping Industry Likely to Suffer in Consequence

One line of endeavor, which will suffer as keenly as any this year because of the downward trend of prices, is the hunting and trapping industry, which grows to be heard of proportion in Vermont last year and allowed a rich harvest for the men and boys who knew the ways of the woods. Last year furs in the fall sold at prices, in most cases, three times the present prices. The average muskrat, muskrat the figure received was often 20 times the price paid in former years. The woods and marshes hold out no such promises this year and it is doubtful if many hunters are successful in getting much of an income. Last year many school boys in some weeks made as high as \$35 in trapping muskrats and minks. The prices have not yet been made up for this year, but there is no doubt but that the figure will be far below that of the present year. It is doubtful if it will compare favorably with those of many years in the past. The bottom has dropped out of the fur market and the effect of the depression in London, St. Louis and other fur trading centers will be felt in the backwoods of Vermont. There will be a much smaller and the animals will have a chance to get back to their former numbers.

WEDDINGS AT ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

The marriage of Miss Laura Marie Brisson, daughter of Herbert P. Brisson of Lafontaine street, and Edward J. Moran, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Moran of Elm street, occurred at St. Joseph's Church, Monday morning at St. Joseph's Church. The Rev. J. E. Laroque performing the ceremony. Miss Frances Moran, the groom's sister, acted as bridesmaid and the groom was attended by the bride's brother, Michael Brisson. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Moran will make their home at 62 Front street.

C. V. EMPLOYEE 53 YEARS

Michael J. Powers Nearly 40 Years Passenger Train Conductor

White River Junction, Oct. 2.—Michael J. Powers, 53 years of age, on the passenger train service of the Central Vermont railway, died yesterday afternoon. For nearly 40 years Mr. Powers had served as a passenger train conductor, and for a long time lived in White River Junction. He was born in Housatonic, Conn., and came to White River Junction in 1870. For nearly a year he had been ill, but during the Vermont State fair he assumed the position of superintendent of the fair ground railroad, it making his 44th year in the position. Following the fair he returned to his home, where he died. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at nine o'clock from St. Anthony's Church at one o'clock. The body will be taken to St. Albans on the New England States Limited for interment. His wife and two sons, Raymond and Osborne, all residents of New York city.

PAY DAY AT U. V. M.

Men in R. O. T. C. Unit Receive from \$35.92 to \$45.76

Thursday, October 21, was pay day for the advance course men in the R. O. T. C. unit at the University of Vermont, at which time they received amounts varying from \$35.92 to \$45.76, which covers the government allowance of 53 cents per day given as commutation of subsistence. This money is paid the advanced students for every day of the year which they are in the unit, except the work until their graduation from college. Besides the money allowance, the government furnishes uniforms, and upon the completion of the course, such men as have shown marked proficiency in the work receive commissions in the Officers' Reserve Corps, from which they are subject to call in a national emergency.

There is a total enrollment in the R. O. T. C. of this year of 35 men, all but 24 of whom are in the basic course. These men were all furnished with their uniforms and issued Springfield rifles within ten days after the opening of college. Over one-half of this number have received training on the rifle range which is located just east of the college buildings on the University Farm. Much attention is being paid to this work this fall, to be followed by more in the spring, and it is hoped that every student will have a chance to shoot on the range before entering the basic course. The University band, consisting of 25 members of the battalion, has made a good start this year, and all indications point to its surpassing the excellent band of last year. The annual military ball will be held in the gymnasium on October 19 this year. On the 11th Anniversary Day, the battalion will take part in the exercises to be held in this city.

FREE PRESS WANT ADS PAY BEST

BIG PARADE PLANNED FOR ARMISTICE DAY

Burlington Post of American Legion Preparing to Celebrate Anniversary — Congressman Dale Will Speak at Presentation of Medals' Ceremony

Armistice Day plans in connection with the presentation of Victory medals to all ex-service men were discussed and formulated at a meeting held in the room of the American Legion Monday night. The meeting was presided over by Richmond W. Jones, Burlington Post of the Legion, Colonel E. A. Strymer, in command of the 3rd Cavalry at Fort Ethan Allen, Lieut.-Col. G. J. Holden, commandant of the University battalion, and representatives of the Grand Army and other local organizations.

In line with the government plans to make Armistice Day this year the biggest day of its kind ever celebrated in the country, Burlington Post No. 2, is planning a huge parade, including from 2,500 to 3,000 people, made up of all the ex-service men in Chittenden county, estimated at more than 1,000; the 3rd Cavalry at Fort Ethan Allen (about 60 men); the battalion at the University of Vermont (about 30 men); and various local organizations, floats, etc.

Congressman Porter H. Dale has accepted an invitation to give a brief address in connection with the ceremony of the presentation of Victory medals. Colonel E. A. Strymer, commandant of the 3rd Cavalry, consented last evening to act in the capacity of marshal of the big parade, and he will select his own aides.

According to the plans which were discussed last evening, the parade will start at 10 o'clock in the morning, forming on upper Main street and adjoining streets. The line of march will be down Main street, through Church street, to Pearl street, to Wisconsin street, to North street, to St. Paul street past the reviewing stand in City Hall Park. The adjutant general of the State and some other officials will be invited to review the parade.

At the close of the parade, the ex-service men will line up in front of the honor roll in City Hall Park, where Congressman Dale will address them, and army and navy officers will pin the Victory medals on the veterans of the World War. There will be four bands to furnish music for the parade and for the community singing of "America" and "The Star-Spangled Banner," which will take place in the park. When the parade has been presented, a bugler from the Third Cavalry will sound taps and a firing squad from the University battalion will fire a volley for the boys who died in the war. This will conclude the formal part of the day's program.

It is planned to have the parade form in the following order: The marshal and his aides; the members of the Grand Army and Woman's Relief Corps in automobile; the Third Cavalry; other uniformed troops, including Company M, Vermont National Guard, the ex-service men of the World War, and the men of the University battalion, followed by college girls carrying the University service flag; the Red Cross; Knights of Columbus; Y. M. C. A.; Salvation Army and other marchers, including the school children of the city and other organizations; the wagon transportation of the Third Cavalry; floats from the high schools and fraternal or other organizations.

THROWN UNDER WAGON

Robert Liberty Seriously Injured When 2,500 Pounds Pass Over His Body

Robert Liberty, driving a team for the Queen City Cotton company, was seriously injured Tuesday afternoon when the forward wheel of a wagon containing a load of 2,500 pounds passed over his body at the hip.

The accident happened about 4:30 o'clock. Liberty was driving his team down Pine street when the front wheels struck the branch railroad which crosses Pine street in the city. The cotton company's office. The cement and rails make a protuberance in the road here and the wheels struck this with such force as to jolt Liberty off the seat and throw him under the wheels, one of which went over his hip.

Liberty appeared in great pain and Dr. R. L. Maynard was summoned. The man's condition was such as to make his instant removal to the hospital advisable and the police ambulance hurried him there.

MASONIC MEETING

Fifth District Annual in This City Next Friday

The annual meeting of the fifth Masonic district will be held in this city Friday, October 23. The lodges in this district are: Washington, No. 3, Burlington; Star, No. 12, Burlington; Friendship, No. 24, Charlotte; McDonough, No. 26, Underhill; Patriot, No. 33, Hinesburg; Seneca, No. 40, Milton; Webster, No. 61, Winooski; Ethan Allen, No. 72, East Junction; and Burlington, No. 100, Burlington.

The lodge will be opened in form at two o'clock by Washington Lodge. At 4:30, Seneca Lodge will confer the first section of the third degree. At six o'clock a supper will be served.

At 7:30 in the evening, a reception to the grand officers will take place, followed by the conferring of the second section of the third degree by Washington Lodge. Work will be reviewed by Grand Lecturer Edward F. Greene, and an address will be given the most worshipful grand master and other grand officers.

MINISTER CALLED

Rev. A. S. Hobart Invited to Pastorate of Yonkers Baptist Church

The Yonkers Stateman contains the following account of the call extended to the Rev. Alvin S. Hobart, D. D., Dr. Hobart is well known in Burlington as he has been spending his summers here for many years and has often preached in the Yonkers Baptist Church. The Warburton Avenue Baptist Church has extended a call to the Rev. Alvin S. Hobart, D. D., of Chester, Pa., who is professor of New Testament at Crozer Baptist theological seminary, there. Dr. Hobart was pastor of the Warburton Avenue Church from 1883 until 1901. Since 1901, he has been at Crozer seminary.

He has always been held in high esteem as a strong preacher and as a val-

ued citizen of Yonkers. While here, he was keenly interested in all religious and people movements, and since his departure from this city he has constantly kept in touch with his friends, maintaining his interest in his church and civic affairs.

He is regarded as one of the strongest and most influential of his denomination, and he is one of its leaders.

Since Dr. Joel B. Shattuck left to take charge of a church in Dayton, Ohio, some months ago, Dr. Hobart has supplied the pulpit—and to the great satisfaction of the congregation.

One of the prominent members of the church says: "It is sincerely hoped that the call may be accepted by this able Christian teacher, and that the pulpit of the Warburton Avenue Baptist Church may continue, as heretofore, to retain its position as one of the most effective among the Baptist Churches in the country."

UNDER FLORAL ARCH

R. W. R. Peden and Miss Bernice Dymally Married in Charlotte

The marriage of Bernice Dymally, daughter of R. W. R. Peden, of Burlington, of Charlotte, N. C., and R. W. R. Peden, of New York, N. Y., took place at the home of the bride's parents Saturday evening at eight o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Fred N. Rutan, pastor of the Congregational church of Charlotte, N. C., the ring service being used. The mother of honor was Mrs. G. Colby Bartlett of Winooski, and Virge E. Babcock of Burlington, a fraternity brother of the groom, the University of Vermont, acted as best man. The wedding march from Lohengrin was played by Mrs. F. N. Rutan, who furnished music, also, both preceding and following the ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The bride was attired in a traveling suit of dark brown duvet de laine. The mother of honor wore mid-night blue tulle. The gift of the groom to the bride was a gold ring, set with a diamond. The bride wore a diamond necklace. The bride's maid wore a white dress. The bridesmaids wore white dresses. The bridesmaids wore white dresses.

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HOWARD NATIONAL BANK

Harvey T. Rutter, Vice-President, H. S. Weed, Cashier—Other Promotions

The directors of the Howard National Bank have recognized ability and faithful service by promoting four of the bank employees, to date from November 1.

The Hon. Elias Lyman, vice-president, nominated Harvey T. Rutter as second vice-president. Mr. Rutter has been a member of the bank since 1914 and was unanimous in promoting Mr. Rutter, who has been cashier for many years.

Harry S. Weed was promoted to be cashier. Fred W. Whitcomb assistant cashier and Buell B. Baldwin second assistant cashier.

PRIZES TOTAL \$500

Horticultural Society's Plans for Annual Fruit Show, at Rutland

The 24th annual fruit show of the Vermont State Horticultural Society will be held in Rutland November 17, 18 and 19. The program of the society for the year is being carried out in the office of the secretary, Professor M. B. Cummings, of this city. There are several new features to be worked out at the exhibition this year.

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NEW CORPORATION ACQUIRES VALUABLE PROPERTY IN LAMOLLE COUNTY, BESIDES HYDRO-ELECTRIC PLANT IN RICHFORD AND TWO UNDEVELOPED WATER POWERS

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The will of Stephen B. Jocelyn, late of this city, and Celia L. Parker, late of Milton. Decrees of distribution were made in the estates of Robert D. Benedict and Frances A. Benedict, both late of this city.

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WARM FRIEND OF U. V. M.

General Rush C. Hawkins Donor of Many Books and Much Money

In the death of Gen. Rush C. Hawkins of New York, who was struck by an automobile Sunday on Fifth avenue, the University of Vermont loses one of its best friends. His latest gift to the college was made last summer at commencement when he donated \$10,000 to the general endowment fund, the income of which is to be used to increase the salaries of the faculty in the College of Arts and Sciences.

Some years ago he presented the University with a collection of Civil War books and pamphlets, and until quite recently has been adding to the collection. This collection, which now consists of over 3,000 volumes, is kept in a separate room in the gallery of the Billings Library. It is supposed to be one of the most complete collections of Civil War literature in any college in the country. Princeton's collection being the only one to eclipse it. It was General Hawkins' idea that at some time in the future some one would write a complete exhaustive history of the Civil War and these books would provide adequate references for a work of such magnitude.